

875—73.21(89A) Handicapped restricted use elevators. All handicapped restricted use elevators must meet ANSI A17.1 (1981), part V, or later editions of the ASME code. Permits will be reissued only for locations where other elevators do not exist and where the absence of the elevator would deprive a known group of physically disabled individuals use of the building. Additionally, the elevators shall comply with the following limitations:

1. The elevator shall be used only by a maximum of one disabled person and one attendant at a time. Where a disabled individual cannot operate the elevator in a manner which will ensure access to all operating controls and safety features, an attendant shall accompany the disabled individual.

2. The elevator shall be key-operated and shall not be capable of being called by buttons or switches but may be called by a key operator.

3. Keys to operate the elevator shall be in the control of the disabled person, the attendant or persons in positions of responsibility at the location.

4. A list shall be maintained at the location indicating the persons holding keys for the operation of the elevator.

5. Each landing and the elevator car shall be posted to indicate that the elevator is only for the use of disabled persons.

6. The travel distance of the elevator shall not exceed 50 feet.